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Title: Method and System for Inter-Enterprise Agent Communication and Service Invocation

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[ ] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$280	\$ 0
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Respectfully submitted,

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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT**

In response to the Official Action mailed on July 16, 2004, the Applicant respectfully requests reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the remarks and amendments set forth below